

BEAUMONT FIRE-RESCUE SERVICES

MONTHLY STATUS REPORT

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November 2016

Chief's Message

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City of Beaumont Fire-Rescue Services

Anne Huff
Fire Chief

Christian Singler
Operations Section Chief

Joseph Condina
Planning Section Chief

John Bourgeois
Logistics Section Chief

This month Chief Singler, the Operations Deputies and I attended a conference sponsored by the Texas Fire Chiefs Association that focused specifically on what we as a department, crews and individual members, can do to prevent line of duty deaths and injuries. I think it was one of the most thought-provoking conferences I've ever attended. It was also one of the most frustrating, because it talked in no uncertain terms about what needs to be done throughout the fire service to help minimize risks. There is always more that needs to be done.

One fact that was very clear at the conference is that, when it comes to safety, our department is not different than the majority of others. Most people in this world think bad things won't happen to them. Some firefighters fake themselves into believing that if something bad happens it will happen on somebody else's watch. The sad truth is that we never know when a tragedy will strike one of our own, and each of must do what we can do, at whatever level we're at in the department, to help reduce the risk of this occurring, and to minimize the potential tragic consequences if it inevitably does.

We have made great improvements in recent years when it comes to the practical implementation of ICS, use of PPE, and applying our risk management philosophy on emergency scenes. I'm very proud of this progress and very proud of our members who have been the leaders in bringing about this cultural shift. Continued progress in these areas will further reduce risk to our members. Thank you for your hard work and ongoing efforts!

So what can we each do to protect ourselves and each other? Every firefighter subject to emergency response must be healthy and fit to perform his/her duties. If you aren't in the shape you should be, start today to do something about it. Company Officers can make sure that their crews are fit for duty, and that

they can meet or exceed our performance benchmarks. They can spend at least an hour every shift doing some type of hands-on training to assess skills, help people who need it, and promote teamwork.

District Chiefs can plan their monthly district training and drills to focus on the proficiency in hands-on skills that can help get firefighters out of a difficult situation, and the mental skills that can keep them from getting in one in the first place.

Deputy Chiefs can insure that all of the above things are happening on their shifts, and work with their District Chiefs on making continued progress in the practical implementation of skill sets like ICS and accountability. They can assist the management team in developing practical operational benchmarks and SOGs that are based on our department's level of capabilities, and insuring the implementation of these is as effective and smooth as possible.

So what's left for Chief Singler and me? We can continue to search for funding sources so that improvements are possible. We can insure the resources we do have are spent wisely. We can insure that systems are developed and improved which encourage accountability and teamwork, and that these systems are consistently applied. We can do what we can to shift the department's culture away from tactics that may be what we've always done, but pose an increased risk for little or no gain.

The fire service has for many years now promoted the safety slogan, "Everyone Goes Home." It takes each one of us doing what he/she can do every single day to keep our member's fit for duty, promote effective risk

management, and keep them going home in one piece to their families. I pledge to work hard every day to do what I can do at my level to prevent firefighter injuries and deaths. I hope that each of you will make this pledge, too.

ADMINISTRATION & FINANCE SECTION

Freda Johnson, Admin. Assistant I

Debra Smith, Secretary II

PERSONNEL UPDATES

Retirements			
Member	Rank	Date	Years Service
Joe Bleuel	G-III	10/28/16	24
Steve Routhier	G-I	10/03/16	21

Bids Awarded			
Member	Rank	Position	Shift
David Carpenter	G-III	6	A
Andy Brown	G-I	7	A
William Lambert	G-I	FA	HQ

Transfers			
Member	Rank	Position	Shift
Joel Caillouet	G-II	SW	C
Ben Vines	G-I	SW	A
Jerry Ayres	G-III	FA	Days

ADVISORY GROUP MEETING UPDATES

Fire Management Group

Fire Chief Anne Huff, Facilitator

The group met on November 28 and discussed and reported on several issues. No

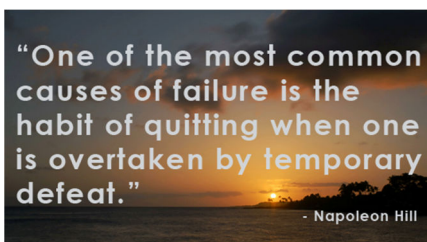
report was given on the Wellness/Fitness SOG but Chief Nolen will get a status update from Captain Willett and email the team.

The following projects were updated and members were informed of the progress on each issue. The Laserfiche Occupancy Project has four file cabinets completed. The Unit Designations Project is concentrating on reserve apparatus first. The Zetron System/Count-Up Clocks issue, Chief Bourgeois will follow up with Tech Services and send a status report email to the team.

The gray polo's have had positive feedback from the five people wear testing them and they are on the 2017 Company store order form.

The Inventory Audit is assigned to Chief Singler and he will be assisted by Operations Deputies in resolving this issue. The final output will be an SOG on inventory management that details the frequency of inventory checks, audits and responsibilities.

Members were updated on the Hiring Process. Chief Condina will insure that other officers in CRR are trained on and can administer the hiring process. The spreadsheet that details points for new applicants will be updated to include both TCFP & TDSHS expiration dates. Also discussed was determination of FF1 & FF2 status prior to hiring. Team members discussed alternatives for the CPAT test. This would allow testing at any time during the year, not just fall or spring. Team members were encouraged to research alternatives and bring them back to the next meeting.



Union-Management Safety Committee Assistant Chief Chris Singler, Facilitator

Accident/Exposure/Injury Reports Reviewed	
Report Type	Number
On-duty, lost time	0
On-duty, no lost time	4
Vehicle Accident	1
Vehicle Damage	2
Exposure	10
Total	17

Members are reminded to provide complete and detailed information on all accident, exposure and injury reports so that the committee can properly assess the preventability of the occurrence and provide appropriate feedback and follow-up relative to the circumstances.

Haz Mat Response Advisory Group District Chief Josh Fowler, Facilitator

The Hazmat Leaders met in November to discuss the allocation of grant money received from Emergency Management. There were specific line items to purchase equipment to include Hazmat ID, Docimeters, Single Sensor Detectors and AreaRae equipment.

After much research and discussion, the Hazmat Leadership Group came up with bid proposals as well as justification for the best course of action for the allocation of funds received. Additionally, the Group discussed and planned the purchase of equipment from the Hazmat budget for fiscal year 2017.

Technical Rescue & Recovery Advisory Group District Chief Josh Fowler, Facilitator

The group met on November 2 and set up a date for the next quarterly in January.

Chief Fowler discussed his vision, values, focus and strategy for the program. The group's vision is to one day have a dedicated team on each shift. Their values are to learn every day, continuously improve and remember why you are here. Their focus is expansion and growth, compliance, member retention and engagement. He compared their strategy to a flow chart where one area has to be accomplished first before moving on to the next item.

On their workday the group was able to put their hands on the gear and make adjustments as to how they will set up for an event. They were also able to take inventory. The budget was discussed and a list of items to be ordered.

The group will be submitting a draft confined space SOG to be submitted to the Fire Chief and Management Team for review.

Health & Wellness Advisory Group Captain Craig Willett, Facilitator

The Group met in November and Driver/Operators Dennis Pellerin and Nick Zumo attended the Cooper Institute's Fire Service Fitness Specialist and Injury Prevention Training in Dallas. This class will serve as training and certification for our Peer Fitness Trainers and help us shape our health and fitness program. Both Dennis and Nick had a positive experience with the class and we hope to send additional personnel through the class as funds allow.

The group all agreed to not recommend Advocare products for hydration and rehab.

Driver/Operator Nick Zumo will be conducting more trials with incoming Rookies on their current Work Performance Evaluation. The Group also discussed some potential changes to the Wellness-Fitness Initiative.

FOUNDATIONAL DOCUMENTS UPDATES

Distributed for Member Comment

- ❖ SOG 103.03 – Sick & Off-Duty Injury Leave (10/13)

Policies in Development/Revision

- ❖ R&R 102.01B – Driving While Under the Influence of Alcohol or Drugs
- ❖ R&R 102.02A – Suspected Impairment While On-Duty
- ❖ R&R 102.02B – Driver's License Regulations
- ❖ SOG 108.01 – Safety Committee Accident/Injury/Exposure Review
- ❖ SOG 108.02 – On-Duty Injury Reporting
- ❖ SOG 108.03 – Vehicular Accident Reporting
- ❖ SOG 108.04 – Exposure Reporting
- ❖ SOG 401.06 – Wellness-Fitness Guidelines
- ❖ SOG 501.01 – Department Vehicle Accident Deployment Process

REVENUE UPDATES

Fiscal Year-to-Date Revenue Summary		
Revenue Type	Budgeted	Actual
Emergency Response	\$50,000	\$8,332
Inspection Fees	\$13,000	\$2,166
Total	\$63,000	\$10,498

Billable Responses	
Responsible Party	Amount
FedEx	\$866.51
Texexecutive Investments	\$512.04
Total	\$1,378.55

PLANNING SECTION

*Deputy Chief Joseph Condina, Section Chief
Sandra Trujillo, Secretary I*

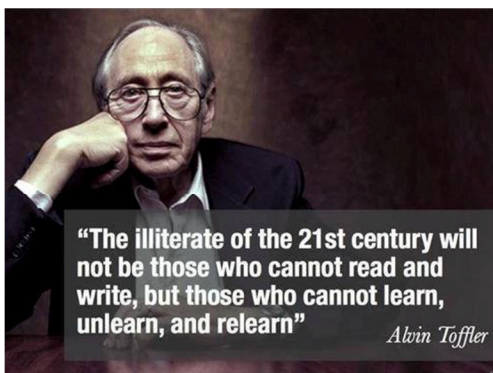
CODE ENFORCEMENT

Captain Brad Penisson, Coordinator

When a code enforcement situation needs to be addressed, please notify the Community Risk Reduction supervisors with an email to Chief Condina, Chief Wheat, Captains Penisson, Simon and Blanchard. By including all supervisors in the email, there can be a more timely response to the issue.

Inspections Conducted	
Inspection Type	Number
General Inspection	111
Certificate of Occupancy	48
Total Inspections	159
Code Violations Found	114
Inspection Fees Generated	\$150.00

Construction Plans Reviewed	
Plan Type	Number
Fire Alarm Systems	8
Sprinkler Systems	2
Fixed Fire Extinguishing Systems	4
Building/Plats	11
Total Inspections	25



Construction Plans Reviewed Detail	
Business Name & Location	Code Requirements
Capital Title 3195 Dowlen	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)
M & R Fleet 2465 W Cardinal	Remodel (1)(4)(5)(6)
Smoke Shop 4705 Magnolia	Remodel (1)(4)(5)(6)
Green Light 6420 Phelan	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)
Hair Salon 3199 Ave A	Remodel (1)(4)(5)(6)
Life Storage 1655 S Major	Addition (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Religious Store 5955 Phelan	Remodel (1)(3)(4)(5)(6)
Chipotle 3905 Dowlen	(1)(3)(4)(5)(6)(7)
Jason's Deli 350 Pine	Build Out (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)
Charley's Philly Steaks 6155 Eastex – Food Court	Remodel (1)(2)(3)(4)(5)(7)

Code Requirements Key:

(1) fire extinguisher; (2) sprinkler system; (3) fire alarm; (4) exits lights; (5) emergency lights; (6) KNOX box; (7) fixed hood; (8) additional fire hydrants

Consultations Performed	
Consult Type	Number
Phone Consults	140
Office Consults	112
Field Consults	100
Total Consults	352

Systems Tested	
System Type	Number
Fire Alarm Systems	14
Sprinkler Systems	11
Fixed Fire Extinguishing Systems	2
Total System Tests	27

INVESTIGATIONS

Captain Brad Penisson, Coordinator

This month, fire and investigators were involved in the following:

- ❖ 51 fire code and safety investigations
- ❖ 8 professional standards investigations
- ❖ 4 arson cases

Significant Investigations Conducted	
Date, Location & Incident Type	Disposition
11/01 – 3995 Phelan Car Hit Building	Enforce Codes
11/02 – 2385 Magnolia Structure Fire	Arson
11/02 – 7790 San Bruno Structure Fire	Accidental
11/05 – 1608 Glasshouse Structure Fire w/ fatality	Accidental
11/05 – 1469 Concord Structure Fire	Accidental
11/05 – 4955 Lafin Rd Vehicle Fire	Accidental
11/06 – 3390 Edmonds Structure Fire	Accidental
11/07 – 2290 IH 10 S Structure Fire	Accidental
11/07 – 1275 McFaddin Structure Fire	Accidental
11/07 – 3076 Calder Vehicle Fire	Accidental
11/10 – 555 Highland Dr Vehicle Fire	Accidental
11/13 – 3940 Lou Structure Fire	Arson
11/13 – 1010 MLK Pkwy Vehicle Fire	Accidental
11/19 – 240 Dowlen Vehicle Fire	Accidental
11/19 – 6345 Bedford Structure Fire	Accidental

11/22 – 4935 Concord Structure Fire	Accidental
11/24 – 3076 Concord Structure Fire	Arson
11/28 – 2060 Irving Vehicle Fire	Arson
11/30 – 3710 Magnolia Apartment Fire	Accidental

Complaints Investigated

Complaint Type	Number
Fire Code Violations	11
Citizen/Internal Affairs	8
Total Complaints	19

PUBLIC INFORMATION & EDUCATION

Captain Brad Penisson, Coordinator

During the month, Community Risk Reduction personnel conducted eight safety education programs for 580 persons. There were also one fire drill conducted. Add other information as required.

Public Information Officers researched and responded to 59 requests for public information and records. 22 news releases and media posts were issued related to department incidents and activities.



Engine 7's crew with the 100 Club Board of Directors at the club's annual luncheon at the Fire Museum.

FIRE MUSEUM OF TEXAS

Ami Kamara, FMOT Manager

General Museum Attendance	
Region	Visitors
Beaumont	59
Golden Triangle	20
State of Texas	75
United States	57
International	4
Total Visitors	215

Education & Programming Update

This month we hosted 2 birthday parties and 13 tours for elementary students and Girl Scout groups.

Scheduled Programs & Events	
Region	Visitors
Guided Tours	13 (642 visitors)
Birthday Parties	2 (45visitors)
Total Visitors	687

FMOT Association (501c3) Updates

Ted and Jack are in the process of having the paint matched for the cab to the Light Truck. The project is moving right along and will hopefully be complete in 2017.

Ami attended an American Alliance of Museums workshop on Core Documents for Museums this month. A strategic plan for the next few years is currently in the works and should be finalized after the beginning of the year.

Collections & Exhibits Updates

Our postcard collection was recently digitized by the University of North Texas and made available for viewing online through the Portal to Texas Cultures website. The funding for this project was provided through a grant. Ami is continuing to enter cataloguing information into the museum database.

The harness for the horse in the museum has finally arrived. The harness was custom made by an Amish family in order to be as historically accurate as possible. We plan on hanging the harness from the ceiling above the horse in order to give visitors a sense of how the quick hitch harness system was utilized.

Marketing Updates

The Fire Museum of Texas is currently listed as the **#1 THING TO DO IN BEAUMONT ON TRIP ADVISOR!** A large number of our visitors comment that they heard about us through the Trip Advisor website.

Upcoming Events:

December 8th: Downtown Children's Christmas Party 3:30 – 6pm on the grounds of the Art Museum of Southeast Texas

December 10th: Annual Christmas at the Station at the Fire Museum, 10am-2pm



LOGISTICS SECTION

*Deputy Chief John Bourgeois, Section Chief
Gina Bankhead, Logistics Admin. Assistant
Gloria Weathington, Secretary II
Wynell Brown, Secretary I*

PURCHASING

Requisitions & Purchase Orders (13)

- ❖ Advantage Laundry Systems – Bunker Gear drying cabinet for HQ
- ❖ Draeger Inc. – Fire Training Prop
- ❖ Chief – Firefighter gloves
- ❖ Miller Uniform (2):
 - Uniforms for New Hires
 - Uniform for additional New Hire
- ❖ The Uniform House (2):
 - Winter Coats for new hires
 - Winter Coats for previous new hires
- ❖ MES (2)
 - Replacement battery for Engine 8 jaws
 - Replacement Deadman controllers for Vetter Air Bags
- ❖ Cotton Cargo – Silkscreen T-shirts for New Hires
- ❖ Grainger – Items for Wildland Team
- ❖ Delta Industrial Service- Level “A” Suit for HAZMAT Team
- ❖ Instrument Depot – Draeger Tubes for HAZMAT air testing

Check Requests (6)

- ❖ J. Blanchard – Reimbursement for books purchased at seminar
- ❖ Wells Fargo Insurance Services – Polygraph Examiner’s Bond
- ❖ Texas Department of Licensing – Polygraph Examiner renewal for B. Penisson
- ❖ Cotton Cargo – Embroidery two emblems on shirts
- ❖ TCFP (2):

- Application for Fire Instructor I for M. Bland, D. Delcerda, A. Jenkins & R. Singler
- Application for Fire Investigator for J. Hamilton & S. Wheat

Sam’s Club Purchases (2)

- ❖ Food/cups/plates for pinning ceremony
- ❖ Return cups/plates
- ❖ Purchased different cups/plats & more food

Procurement Card Purchases

- ❖ Reconciled 14 (3 – Travel Cards) procurement card statements

Deposits (2)

- ❖ Reimbursement for TT Upgrade – P. Wilcox
- ❖ Reimbursement for two (2) fire department T-shirts – D. Stacy
- ❖ Reimbursement for overage on 2017 Company Store – R. Phillips

Travel Authorizations & Expense Reports (7)

- ❖ FDIC Conference, Indianapolis, IN 4/22-28, 2017 – J. Davis, C. Durio, E. Chapman, J. Fowler
- ❖ Fire Inspector Skills testing, Sulphur Springs, TX 11/14-17, 2016 – L. Bettis
- ❖ 6th Annual GHFM Training, Pasadena, TX 11/15-16, 2016 – J. Blanchard
- ❖ New Fire/Arson Investigator Academy, Las Vegas, NV 12/4-12/9/16 – J. Blanchard

Expense Report (15)

- ❖ Hotzone Conference 2016, Houston, TX 10/22-24, 2016 – J. Fowler, J. McLean, T. Thornton
- ❖ Police & Fire Civil Service Seminar, Austin, TX 11/1-3, 2016 – J. Blanchard; 11/1-2, 2016 – S. Wheat
- ❖ Fire/Arson Investigator Skills Testing, Kilgore, TX 11/2-3, 2016 – J. Hamilton, S. Wheat

- ❖ Fire Service Fitness Specialist & Injury Prevention, Dallas, TX 11/3-18, 2016 – D. Pellerin, N. Zumo
- ❖ TFCA – LODD Conference, Hurst, TX 11/14-17, 2016 – A. Huff, C. Bordelon, C. Carrier, K. Nolen, C. Singler
- ❖ EMS Conference 2016, Dallas, TX 11/18-23, 2016 – C. Durio

Tuition Reimbursements

- ❖ Cody Hendon - \$630

SUPPORT BRANCH

District Chief Chris Jagoe, Manager

CERTIFICATION & TRAINING

Captain Chris Durio, C&T Coordinator

D/O Josh Davis, C&T Coordinator

Training Requests Processed	
Program	Number
Firefighter C&T	12
Emergency Medical C&T	1
Hazardous Materials C&T	1
Technical Rescue & Recovery C&T	1
Officer Development C&T	29
Safety & Health C&T	0
Total	44

Continuing Education & Evaluations

Online continuing education classes assigned:

- ❖ NFPA 1001 Building Construction
- ❖ NFPA General Construction Safety
- ❖ EMS Airway Management Basic
- ❖ EMS Suctioning the Patient's Airway
- ❖ EMS Blind Nasotracheal Intubation

Performance Benchmark Practice Assigned

- ❖ 405.01L Oral Glucose
- ❖ 402.02B Terminating Utility Service
- ❖ 404.01F Confined Space Turnaround

Performance Benchmark Evaluations Conducted		
Program	Number	% Passing
Firefighter	52	100
Emergency Medical	28	100
Total	70	100%

Probationary Responder Program

Eleven new Firefighter/EMTs began our orientation program on November 28. We currently have 9 probationary fire fighters and will be adding more to our organization soon. You will notice they have an enormous curiosity for knowledge and job etiquette. They are absorbing everything they observe their senior coworkers do and say while on responses and awaiting calls at the station. Please be responsive to the questions of these new Firefighters. Remember that they are new to this profession and every call they make is setting the standard for how they will perform on future similar responses.

Please remember we all are ambassadors of Beaumont Fire Department and should set a good example for our young members. It is your duty as a Company Officer to evaluate and document the performance of probationary firefighters when they are assigned to your station. With your help Beaumont will continue to be the elite fire service it has been for over a century!

TCFP Certification & Training Updates

Congratulations to the following members who have achieved or upgraded TCFP certifications:

TCFP Certifications & Upgrades	
Officer	Certification
Calvin Carrier	Master Firefighter
Total	1

TDSHS Certification & Training Updates

TDSHS Re-Certifications by Level	
Certification Level	Number
ECA	1
Total	1

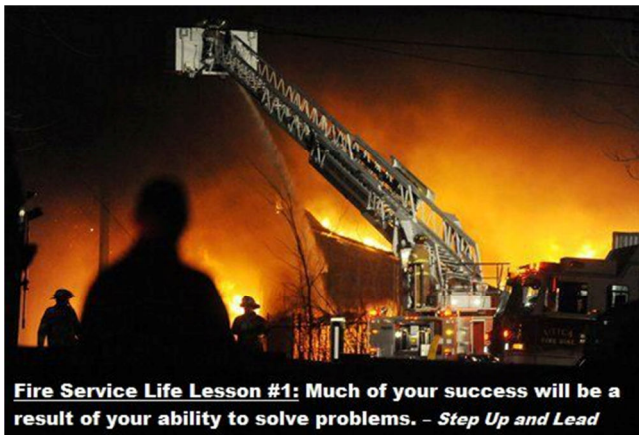
Officer Development Training Updates

Training Officers made recruiting visits to LIT and College of the Mainland.

SUPPLY & GROUND SUPPORT

Captain Darrwin Walles, Coordinator

Just a reminder: If you would like or need something for your station that is **not** normally provided by the City, these items will need to be requested through your chain of command with budget requests.



PPE Maintenance & Testing Program

D/O Max Clamon, Coordinator

NFPA 1851 Advanced PPE Inspections				
PPE Element	Tested	Passed	Repaired-Replaced	Retired
Bunker Coat	20	7	0	13
Bunker Pants	17	2	0	15
Helmet	1	0	0	1
Totals	38	9	0	29

Work Order Summary			
Work Order to:	Created	Scheduled	Completed
Facilities Maint.	9	9	9
Communications	0	0	0
Fire Fleet	0	0	0
Haz Mat	0	0	0
SCBA Team	0	0	0
Supply	9	9	9
Totals	18	18	18

Supply & Ground Support Activities	
Type of Activity	Number
Deliveries Made for Department	29
Investigated Facility Repair Requests	18
Investigated Equipment Repair	1
Serviced Headquarters Vehicles	5
Received & Processed Orders	25
Issued/Returned PPE & Uniforms	31
Supported HQ & FMOT Activities	8
Total	117

SERVICES BRANCH

District Chief Brian Hebert, Manager

Remember the changes to Welfare checks and Life Line alerts, if you find a person needing medical attention request a med unit.

Technology Updates

We are in talks with TS for scheduling continued testing the Department's Zetron alerting system.

COMMUNICATIONS

Captain Carl Whitehead, Coordinator

The Communications Group managed 6162 calls for service and created 3175 events for the month, averaging 106 events per day. Total BFR incidents were 1600 and total BEMS incidents were 1575.

First Responder emergency medical calls compromised 76% of total BFR service requests. Automatic fire alarms were 11% of calls received. BFR personnel were deployed to 21 one-alarm incidents and 158 motor vehicle collisions. The average dispatch time for one-alarm incidents was 11 seconds.

Dispatcher Certification & Training

All staff members completed SETRPC TTY training and Department CE hours.

CAD/MCT Updates

TS has updated the CAD mapping to include the annexed properties west of Major Drive and Welfare Checks and Lifeline Alert Nature Codes have been updated.

Other Communications Updates

SETRPC has installed a new tower at HQ. This is an ongoing project in the region and will help improve the strength of the 9-1-1 communication system.

After Hours Call-Outs Processed	
Department	Number
Traffic	19
Streets & Drainage	10
Supply & Ground Support	1
Fire Fleet Maintenance	1
Facilities Maintenance	3
Parks	0
Total Call-Outs	34

OPERATIONS SECTION

Assistant Fire Chief Christian Singler, Section Chief Mary Gunter, Secretary II

Kelly Day Changes		
Shift	Member	Day Awarded
A	Fernando Beltran	Thursday
A	Gavin Henderson	Sunday
B	Steven Hilton	Friday

Community Outreach & Education

This month Operations Section personnel conducted 15 fire safety and public education programs, and fire station tours.

District Drills & Exercises

- ❖ **51A, District Chief Steve Bautsch** – On 11/3, E1, T1, E11, E3, E10, C51, C54, and C53 conducted walk through of Lamar University new Administration Building. On 11/18, E1 and T1 conducted SCBA and RIG training at Best complex. On 11/30, D51 conducted preplan of Jefferson Theater.
- ❖ **51B, District Chief Jared Smith**–No report.
- ❖ **51C, District Chief Pat Shelton**–No report.

- ❖ **52A, District Chief Josh Fowler**—No report.
- ❖ **52B, District Chief Jeff Phillips**—No report.
- ❖ **52C, District Chief Eric Chapman**—No report.
- ❖ **53A, District Chief William Fratus**—No report.
- ❖ **53B, District Chief Leo Holden**—No report.
- ❖ **53C, District Chief Ben House**—No report.

NFIRS Response Statistics

Operations Section personnel responded to 1601 calls for service during the month. These calls corresponded to the following National Fire Incident Reporting System (NFIRS) categories:

Type of Response	# of Calls	%	Estimated Losses
Fires	52	3.24	\$343,800
Overpressure, Explosion, etc.	0	0	0
Rescue & Medical	931	58.15	0
Hazardous Conditions	75	4.68	0
Service Call	225	14.05	0
Good Intent	142	8.86	0
False Alarms	171	10.68	0
Severe Weather	0	0	0
Special Incident	3	0.18	0
Totals	1599	99.84	\$343,000

NFPA 1710 FIRE RESPONSE STATISTICS

Deputy Chief Christiaan Bordelon, Director

FIRE RESPONSE BRANCH

First Fire Apparatus On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the first fire apparatus to arrive on scene of a structure fire is fire (5) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the 12 structure fires occurring during the month, firefighting forces achieved the first apparatus on scene benchmark 58.33% of the time.

Full First Alarm On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the full first alarm apparatus assignment to arrive on scene of a structure fire is nine (9) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the 8 structure fires occurring during the month that required a full

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first alarm response, firefighting forces achieved the benchmark, 87.50% of the time.

SCBA Maintenance & Testing

District Chief Jared Smith, Manager

SCBAT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	5	6
B	2	4
C	2	3

MEDICAL RESPONSE BRANCH

Deputy Chief Keith Nolen, Director

The following companies participated in a First Responder Mental Health/Suicide Awareness presentation presented by Colorado Firefighter, Calvin Brown: Station 1, Station 7, Station 11, Station 9, Station 10, Station 14, as well as Car 52 & Car 53.

NFPA 1710 MEDICAL RESPONSE STATISTICS

First Medical Responder On-Scene Benchmark

The targeted response time for the initial medical First Responder to arrive on scene of a medical emergency is five (5) minutes or less, 90% of the time. For the 916 medical responses occurring during the month, BFR First Responders achieved benchmark 64.80% of the time.

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Emergency Medical First Responder

District Chief Brian Hebert, Manager

The Department has begun a change on how we respond to Life Line calls and Welfare Checks. If we receive a call from a company or individual concerning someone who they are unsure of being on the premise, we will dispatch a Fire Engine.

If the engine company arrives on scene and comes in contact with a real patient (*not just an accidental activation*) they will request a BEMS unit to treat or clear the patient. This will not increase the fire department's call volume due to the fact we already respond to these calls. It will help in prioritizing the use of the BEMS transport units in the City. The current transport to the hospital for these type calls are less than 50% of the time.

The department's ALS members will be attending continuing education classes with BEMS in January (*no CE classes in December for BEMS*). MSAG will also be reviewing Protocols and EMD procedures with BEMS.

We are also developing a schedule for classroom didactic training, Rhythm Recognition and 12 Lead Classes for ALSRT Members with BEMS. RFTs are in for new ALSRT members and classes will begin with BEMS in January. We are in the development of an Active Shooter class and joint response with BPD and BEMS.

Officer Development

District Chief Eric Chapman, Manager

RFT's are being accepted for an upcoming Fire Officer 1 class. The class will begin in January 2017 and should conclude in March. Construction has begun on the recently purchased Fire Instructor 2 for the department.

TECHNICAL RESPONSE BRANCH

Deputy Chief Calvin Carrier, Director

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Wildland/Urban Interface Response

District Chief Ben House, Manager

WUIRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	5	4
B	5	1
C	6	2

Hazardous Materials Response**District Chief Josh Fowler, Manager**

Team leadership met on November 16.

Topics discussed were:

- ❖ Allocation of monies received through emergency management to include:
 - HAZMAT ID
 - Dosimeters
 - Single Sensor Detectors
 - AreaRae Equipment
- ❖ Quarterly Training Schedule

Thirteen HM related calls were made in the month of November, two of which were significant requiring evacuations.

HMRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	8	0
B	6	0
C	9	0
Days	2	0

Water Response & Recovery**District Chief Steve Bautsch, Manager**

WRRT Members by Shift		
Shift	Active	Candidates
A	6	1
B	4	1
C	3	2
Days	1	0

Technical Rescue & Recovery**District Chief Joshua Fowler, Manager**

Chief Fowler discussed his vision, values, focus and strategy for the program. The group's vision is to one day have a dedicated team on each shift. Their values are to learn every day, continuously improve and remember why you are here. Their focus is expansion and growth, compliance, member retention and engagement. He compared their strategy to a flow chart where one area has to be accomplished first before moving on to the next item.

They are currently in the bid process for equipment. The new Vetter Bag controllers for E-1 & E-10 have arrived. They are "spec'ing out pelican boxes to contain the controller and regulator prior to placing on apparatus.

In the month of November, there was one major vehicle accident requiring patient extrication, eight lock in/out calls and two forcible entries. If any department members have any questions, comments or suggestions regarding technical rescue training or equipment, please email Chief Fowler.

Southeast Texas Regional Rescue Team

No events for the month of November. The next training day will be December 6 with scenario TBD.

BEAUMONT FIRE-RESCUE SERVICES**MONTHLY STATUS REPORT**

"Committed to preserving & protecting life and property"

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HR Positions Report

Sworn Personnel

Grade	Classification	Allocated	Actual
I	Firefighter/EMT	100	100
II	Driver/Operator	70	70
III	Captain	46	45
IV	District Chief	12	12
V	Deputy Chief	5	5
	Assistant Chief	1	1
	Fire Chief	1	1
Totals		235	234
Vacancies: 1			

Civilian Personnel

Section	Classification	Allocated	Actual
Admin & Finance	Administrative Assistant I	1	1
	Secretary II	1	1
Planning	FMOT Manager	1	1
	Secretary I	1	1
Logistics	Administrative Assistant I	1	1
	Secretary II	1	1
	Secretary I	1	1
	Laborer/Maintenance Asst.	1	0
Operations	Secretary II	1	1
Totals		9	8
Vacancies: 1			

Operations Section Daily Staffing Report

Date	Day	SHIFT	PERSONNEL ASSIGNED	KELLY DAY	DAILY ASSIGNED STAFFING	AVAILABLE STAFF HOURS	REGULAR & UPGRADE	OVERTIME	FULL TIME EQUIVALENT	OFF-DUTY
1-Nov-16	Tuesday	B	66	8	58	1392.00	1020.00	36.00	44.00	372.00
2-Nov-16	Wednesday	C	65	9	56	1344.00	1096.00	0.00	45.67	248.00
3-Nov-16	Thursday	A	63	10	53	1272.00	1014.00	42.25	44.01	258.00
4-Nov-16	Friday	B	66	10	56	1344.00	996.00	60.00	44.00	348.00
5-Nov-16	Saturday	C	65	10	55	1320.00	936.00	120.00	44.00	384.00
6-Nov-16	Sunday	A	63	9	54	1296.00	962.50	93.00	43.98	333.50
7-Nov-16	Monday	B	66	10	56	1344.00	984.00	72.00	44.00	360.00
8-Nov-16	Tuesday	C	64	8	56	1344.00	1093.00	0.00	45.54	251.00
9-Nov-16	Wednesday	A	64	10	54	1296.00	984.00	72.00	44.00	312.00
10-Nov-16	Thursday	B	66	10	56	1344.00	1006.25	50.00	44.01	337.75
11-Nov-16	Friday	C	64	10	54	1296.00	1080.00	0.00	45.00	216.00
12-Nov-16	Saturday	A	64	9	55	1320.00	984.00	72.00	44.00	336.00
13-Nov-16	Sunday	B	66	10	56	1344.00	1056.00	0.00	44.00	288.00
14-Nov-16	Monday	C	64	8	56	1344.00	1065.00	12.50	44.90	279.00
15-Nov-16	Tuesday	A	64	7	57	1368.00	1080.00	0.00	45.00	288.00
16-Nov-16	Wednesday	B	66	8	58	1392.00	1104.00	0.50	46.02	288.00
17-Nov-16	Thursday	C	64	9	55	1320.00	1005.00	51.00	44.00	315.00
18-Nov-16	Friday	A	64	9	55	1320.00	956.00	101.00	44.04	364.00
19-Nov-16	Saturday	B	66	10	56	1344.00	1008.00	36.00	43.50	336.00
20-Nov-16	Sunday	C	64	10	54	1296.00	960.00	96.00	44.00	336.00
21-Nov-16	Monday	A	65	10	55	1320.00	867.00	196.50	44.31	453.00
22-Nov-16	Tuesday	B	67	8	59	1416.00	1008.00	48.00	44.00	408.00
23-Nov-16	Wednesday	C	63	9	54	1296.00	1020.00	44.00	44.33	276.00
24-Nov-16	Thursday	A	64	10	54	1296.00	1008.00	48.00	44.00	288.00
25-Nov-16	Friday	B	67	10	57	1368.00	1032.00	24.00	44.00	336.00
26-Nov-16	Saturday	C	63	10	53	1272.00	956.00	100.00	44.00	316.00
27-Nov-16	Sunday	A	64	9	55	1320.00	1140.00	0.00	47.50	180.00
28-Nov-16	Monday	B	67	10	57	1368.00	996.00	60.00	44.00	372.00
29-Nov-16	Tuesday	C	63	8	55	1320.00	1081.75	0.00	45.07	238.25
30-Nov-16	Wednesday	A	64	10	54	1296.00	1076.00	0.00	44.83	220.00
Totals						39912.00	30574.50	1434.75	1333.72	9337.50
Average			64.70	9.27	55.43	1330.40	1019.15	47.83	44.46	311.25
Avg. Last Mo.			64.42	9.19	55.23	1325.42	1018.31	58.40	44.86	307.10

DATE	VACATION	SICK	OFF DUTY INJURY	ON-DUTY INJURY	W C W/O PAY FM SX WP	JURY DUTY	EMERGENCY FAMILY LEAVE	FUNERAL LEAVE	OFF CITY BUSINESS	COMP TIME	MILITARY	PERSONAL LEAVE
1-Nov-16	210.00	138.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
2-Nov-16	183.00	65.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3-Nov-16	120.00	24.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18.00
4-Nov-16	210.00	90.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
5-Nov-16	264.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
6-Nov-16	144.00	48.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	93.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
7-Nov-16	168.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	72.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
8-Nov-16	216.00	35.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
9-Nov-16	96.00	72.00	0.00	24.00	48.00	0.00	48.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10-Nov-16	222.00	66.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.75
11-Nov-16	192.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
12-Nov-16	180.00	24.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	12.00
13-Nov-16	216.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
14-Nov-16	135.00	72.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
15-Nov-16	120.00	120.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
16-Nov-16	222.00	42.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
17-Nov-16	216.00	75.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
18-Nov-16	132.00	72.00	0.00	24.00	24.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	12.00
19-Nov-16	204.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	12.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
20-Nov-16	216.00	120.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
21-Nov-16	168.00	170.00	0.00	43.00	24.00	0.00	48.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
22-Nov-16	246.00	162.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
23-Nov-16	180.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
24-Nov-16	168.00	96.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
25-Nov-16	222.00	114.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
26-Nov-16	183.00	130.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00
27-Nov-16	96.00	84.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
28-Nov-16	204.00	144.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
29-Nov-16	144.00	70.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	24.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
30-Nov-16	120.00	96.00	0.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Date	5397.00	2585.25	0.00	167.00	192.00	24.00	601.50	192.00	108.00	0.00	24.00	46.75
Average	179.90	86.18	0.00	5.57	6.40	0.80	20.05	6.40	3.60	0.00	0.80	1.56
Average	180.32	80.15	13.16	14.71	0.00	0.00	7.10	1.55	6.97	0.00	1.21	1.94

Operations Section Hours Summary

ACTIVITY	HOURS	PERCENT
Regular & Upgrade	30574.50	76.58%
Vacation	5397.00	13.52%
Sick	2585.25	6.48%
On-Duty Injury	167.00	0.42%
Off Duty Injury	0.00	0.00%
Emergency Family Leave	601.50	1.51%
Funeral Leave	192.00	0.48%
Jury Duty	24.00	0.06%
W C W/O PAY FM SX WP	192.00	0.48%
Comp Used	0.00	0.00%
Off City Business	108.00	0.27%
Military Leave	24.00	0.06%
Personal Leave	60.00	0.15%
TOTAL	39925.25	100.00%

